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Inventors: Simon, et al.
For: **System and Method for Verifying Database Security Across Multiple Platforms**

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